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CL 99L0848 - GWENDOLYN BURNS

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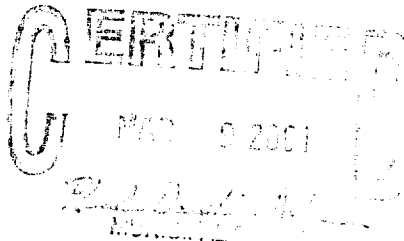
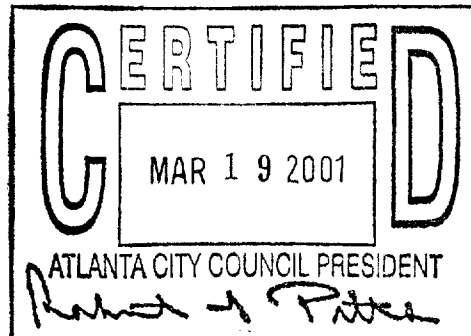
AMICA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY  
as subrogee of Joseph L. Finkelstein  
P.O. Box 956609  
Duluth, Georgia 30095-9511

For vehicular damages alleged to have been sustained from driving  
over a manhole that was not properly covered on August 27, 1999  
at 967 Eulalia Drive, NE & Roxboro Rod, NE.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS  
APPROVED

BY: Rosalind Rubens Newell  
ROSALIND RUBENS NEWELL  
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

ADVERSE REPORT  
FROM Public Safety  
DATE 3/13/01  
BY C. T. M...  
Michael...  
Chela...  
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RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON, CMC  
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April 2, 2001

AMIC Mutual Ins. Company  
as subrogee of Joseph L. Finkelstein  
Attn: Marilyn Cook  
P.O. Box 956609  
Duluth, GA 30095-9511

**01-R-0386**

Dear Ms. Cook:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on March 19, 2001. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the **City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.**

Sincerely,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC  
Municipal Clerk

**cc: Claims Division/Law Department**

**DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY**

Claim No. 99L0848

Date: February 27, 2001

Claimant /Victim JOSEPH L. FINKELSTEIN  
BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.) AMICA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY  
Address: P.O. Box 956609, Duluth, Georgia 30095  
Subrogation: X Claim for damages \$ 7,306.11 Bodily Injury \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Notice: 12/1/99 Method: Written, Proper X Improper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X  
Date of Occurrence 8/27/99 Place: 967 Eulalia Drive, NE & Roxboro Road, NE  
Department \_\_\_\_\_ Division \_\_\_\_\_  
Employee involved \_\_\_\_\_ Disciplinary Action: \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF CLAIM: Claimant alleges that he sustained vehicular damage when he drove over a manhole in the roadway that had not been properly covered causing a road hazard. An investigation determined that an outside contractor performed work at the incident location. Claimant has been advised of this and his claim has been forwarded to the contractor for resolution.

**INVESTIGATION:**

Statements: City employee \_\_\_\_\_ Claimant \_\_\_\_\_ Others \_\_\_\_\_ Written \_\_\_\_\_ Oral \_\_\_\_\_  
Pictures \_\_\_\_\_ Diagrams \_\_\_\_\_ Reports: Police \_\_\_\_\_ Dept Report X Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Traffic citations issued: City Driver \_\_\_\_\_ Claimant Driver \_\_\_\_\_  
Citation disposition: City Driver \_\_\_\_\_ Claimant Driver \_\_\_\_\_

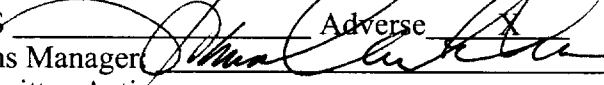
**BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:**

Function: Governmental \_\_\_\_\_ Ministerial \_\_\_\_\_  
Improper Notice \_\_\_\_\_ More than Six Months \_\_\_\_\_ Other X Damages reasonable \_\_\_\_\_  
City not involved X Offer rejected \_\_\_\_\_ Compromise settlement \_\_\_\_\_  
Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Repair/replacement by City Forces \_\_\_\_\_  
Claimant Negligent \_\_\_\_\_ City Negligent \_\_\_\_\_ Joint \_\_\_\_\_ Claim Abandoned \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

  
INVESTIGATOR / GWENDOLYN BURNS

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Pay \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 \_\_\_\_\_ 2J01 \_\_\_\_\_ 2H01 \_\_\_\_\_  
Claims Manager  Concur/date 03-01-01  
Committee Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Council Action \_\_\_\_\_

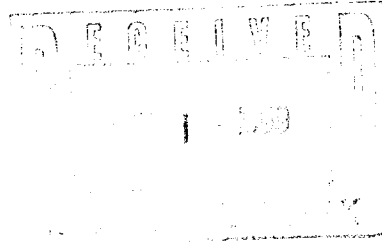
Amica Mutual Insurance Company  
Amica Life Insurance Company  
Amica General Agency, Inc.

LANTA REGIONAL OFFICE  
3700 Crestwood Parkway NW, Suite 300  
Duluth, Georgia 30096-8234  
Mail: PO Box 956609, Duluth, GA 30095-9511

ENTERED - 12-13-99 - SB  
99L0848 - MICHAEL REEVES

November 23, 1999

City of Atlanta-Claims Division  
Municipal Clerk  
City Hall  
55 Trinity Avenue, S.W.  
Atlanta, GA 30335-0332



Our File Number: L31199903635S  
Our Insured: Joseph Larry Finkelstein  
Date of Loss: August 27, 1999  
Amount of Loss: \$7306.11

Gentlemen:

We are subrogated to the rights of our insured(s) due to the payment of a collision loss.

The amount of damage to our insured's vehicle is shown above. This amount includes both our loss and our insured's deductible.

Enclosed are copies of our supporting papers.

Your prompt action regarding payment would be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Marilyn R. Cook  
Claims Department  
Amica Mutual Insurance Company

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT

Pages 1 thru 15

ADOPT

SEE ATTACHED LISTING OF  
ITEMS ADOPTED/ADVERSED  
ON CONSENT AGENDA

YEAS: 12  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 3  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

Y McCarty	Y Dorsey	Y Moore	Y Thomas
Y Starnes	Y Woolard	Y Martin	Y Emmons
NV Bond	Y Morris	Y Maddox	B Alexander
Y Winslow	NV Muller	Y Boazman	NV Pitts

ITEM (S) REMOVED FROM  
CONSENT AGENDA  
01-O-0067

Woolard & Morris voted Nay on the  
following items:

01-R-0379  
01-R-0392  
01-R-0393  
01-R-0394  
01-R-0395  
01-R-0396

CONSENT

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT *Reconsidered-  
#1*

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ADOPT

YEAS: 11  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 4  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

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ITEMS ADOPTED/ADVERSED  
ON CONSENT AGENDA

Y McCarty	Y Dorsey	Y Moore	Y Thomas
Y Starnes	Y Woolard	Y Martin	NV Emmons
NV Bond	Y Morris	Y Maddox	B Alexander
Y Winslow	NV Muller	Y Boazman	NV Pitts

ITEM (S) REMOVED FROM  
CONSENT AGENDA  
01-O-0067  
01-O-0354

Woolard & Morris voted Nay on the  
following items:

01-R-0379  
01-R-0392  
01-R-0393  
01-R-0394  
01-R-0395  
01-R-0396

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Regular Session

CONSENT *Reconsidered*  
*#2*

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ADOPT

YEAS: 13  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 2  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

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ITEMS ADOPTED/ADVERSED  
ON CONSENT AGENDA

NV McCarty	Y Dorsey	Y Moore	Y Thomas
Y Starnes	Y Woolard	Y Martin	Y Emmons
Y Bond	Y Morris	Y Maddox	B Alexander
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Pitts

ITEM (S) REMOVED FROM  
CONSENT AGENDA  
01-O-0067  
01-O-0354  
01-O-0188

Woolard & Morris voted Nay on the  
following items:

01-R-0379  
01-R-0392  
01-R-0393  
01-R-0394  
01-R-0395  
01-R-0396

CONSENT

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3. 01-O-0449	41. 01-R-0399	59. 01-R-0375
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